IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

in re A	Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: Prenell P. Jones
RAGI	HAVAN MENON ET AL.)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2619
Appli	cation No.: 09/994,592)	
		:	Confirmation No. 9102
Filed:	November 27, 2001)	
		:	
For:	APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR)	
	A FAULT-TOLERANT SCALABLE	:	
	SWITCH FABRIC WITH QUALITY-)	
	OF-SERVICE (QOS) SUPPORT	:	July 17, 2008

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action of March 17, 2008 to July 17, 2008. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the fee in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. Further, please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to that Office Action, please amend the above identified application as follows.